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## **UTILITY APPLICATION**

Attorney Docket No.: DECLE30.001CP1

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Title: PEROXISOME-ASSOCIATED POLYPEPTIDE, NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE ENCODING SAID POLYPEPTIDE AND THEIR USES IN THE DIAGNOSIS AND/OR THE TREATMENT OF LUNG INJURIES AND DISEASES, AND OF OXIDATIVE STRESS-RELATED DISORDERS

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## **Mail Stop Patent Application**

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## **APPLICATION ELEMENTS:**

- (X) Specification in 43 pages.
- (X) Drawings in 14 sheets.

## **CONTINUITY INFORMATION:**

Application	Relationship	Parent App. No.	Filing Date	Status
This Application	Continuation-in-part of	09/486,167	08/15/200	Pending
This Application	National Stage of	PCT/BE98/00124	08/20/98	Closed

## **FOREIGN CONTINUITY INFORMATION:**

<b>Country</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Filing Date</b>	<b>Priority Claimed</b>
Belgium	BE 9700692	08/20/97	Yes

(X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application(s) is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

## **OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:**

(X) Return prepaid postcard.

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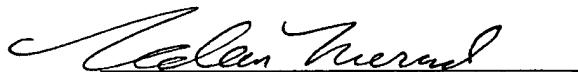
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